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Honolulu, T. H., April 7.—Drizzling for the lost submarine F-4 was begun late yesterday by the tugs Navajo and Intrepid. It was reported a solid hold had been secured on the submarine with one-half-inch cables. The cable was then transferred to the dredge Gaylor and it was said the two tugs would continue dragging with cables until four are attached, two fore and two aft of the diver. When a hold is secured with these cables an attempt will be made to raise the F-4 by means of specially built pontoon scows, the construction of which, it was reported, would be completed by the end of the week. The scows have a combined capacity of lifting 520 tons.



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OKLAHOMA TRAGEDY OF EARLY DAYS

STORY OF COWBOY DAYS AND PIONEER LIFE—THE T-5 RANCH—VICTIM OF TREACHERY—AN UNMARKED GRAVE.

Watson, Okla., April 7.—One part of northwestern Oklahoma which is rich in the myths of the cowboy days is the land to the north of the Eagle Chief. Much of the early lore of romantic nature has been lost, but there are a few old-timers who vividly remember the trials of pioneer life and of the romances which, like the cattle, once covered the valley of this small stream.

The precinct for the cowmen was the frontier town of Caldwell, Kan. A dance could not be held for a hundred miles to the southwest without drawing a number of young people from Caldwell.

One of the most famous ranches along the Eagle Chief was the T-5. Nowhere in the entire country could the cowboys ride in such daring manner, nowhere did the roundup boast of as skillful handling of the rope as did those who formed the outfit of the T-5 ranch.

Every ranch had its history, many of them reading like fiction more than of the life which these big-hearted men of the plains led. Of the T-5 this story will deal.

On a hill overlooking the valley of the Eagle Chief is an almost forgotten grave. The brush has grown around it until there remains little to mark it as the last resting place of one who had been a part of the early day scenes in that part of the country.

Johnny Potts' Remains.

Within the grave lie the remains of Johnny Potts. Where he came from it is not known, but those who were his friends believe him to be the son of a rich eastern man and that the young man had quarreled with his father, which resulted in the youth leaving home.

One Ben Franklin was foreman on the T-5 ranch. Franklin boasted of the many men that had fallen at the point of his gun, the marks on the revolver butt indicated that many may have crossed the Great Divide at his beck. He was a good worker and understood the ranch business. Men who worked under him must obey; they had to work, for to be obdurate was like playing with powder over a fire.

About this time Johnny Potts appeared on the T-5 asking for work. Potts was unknown to them. He displayed signs that he was well educated and had not been raised in the rough cow camps of the west. His work on the T-5 was faultless. Nothing at which he was set to do but was accomplished in a first class manner.

He soon became very popular with the T-5 boys, which fact made an everlasting enemy toward him in the person of Franklin. Many times the foreman sought a quarrel with Potts either with the intention of killing him or to have an excuse for getting him discharged. The cowboys knowing the dangerous nature of Franklin warned Potts to be careful. To their warnings Potts replied that "a man could draw a siege gun into action while Franklin was drawing his revolver from his holster."

A few weeks later Franklin met Potts at a place in Caldwell. Franklin started to draw his revolver but before his hand had hardly reached the holster Potts had drawn his revolver and was covering the foreman. Instead of shooting Franklin he took the gun, extracted the shells, handed the gun back to its owner and told Franklin to go back to his ranch and milk the cows. Although frustrated in his attempt on Potts' life, his wounded pride demanded revenge.

Victim of Treachery.

About two weeks later a dance was held at the T-5 ranch. Girls from Caldwell came as invited guests. While the dance was in full progress a visitor at the ranch came to Potts asking him for the loan of his revolver to shoot a coyote that was about to stampede the horses. The revolver was returned to the owner soon afterward. Potts did not examine the gun to see whether or not the other shells had been exploded. Later in the evening Franklin and Potts met. The former started a quarrel. Franklin drew his gun but before he could fire Potts' revolver snapped twice in the face of the foreman. Franklin fired and Potts fell dead. Some one had extracted the shells from his gun. Franklin escaped from the dance

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hall, collected a few articles from the bunkhouse, then started to Caldwell. From Caldwell he drifted to Montana. As to the end of Franklin's career as a gunman there are two stories. One of them is that he became involved in a fight with a native son of Montana and that the two men went into a darkened room to settle the trouble with knives. Rumor has it that both were killed. The other story is that he is today living in Montana and has become a power in politics.

Potts' body lies today on the hill-top overlooking the silent stream of the Eagle Chief.

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PROSPECTS FINE FOR BIG WHEAT CROP OVER COUNTRY

Washington, April 7.—Prospects of the winter wheat crop planted last fall on the greatest acreage in the country's history were that 619,000,000 bushels would be produced. This estimate by the department of agriculture, today, based on the condition of the growing crop on April 1, may be increased or decreased, according to the changes in condition from that date to time of harvest.

The crop reporting board issued this statement: "The per, or 100 per cent normal condition of wheat on April 1, may be regarded as equivalent to approximately 16.9 bushels per acre planted, hence a condition of 88.8 would indicate 15.9 bushels, which on the 41,263,900 acres planted, would give a total production of 619,000,000 bushels, as compared with a final estimate of 654,990,000 last year; 522,561,000 two years ago; 359,919,000 three years ago and 430,656,000 four years ago.

"In forecasting the quantity of 619,000,000 bushels it should be considered as the amount of which the probability is about equal that the output will be above or below it; the crop will be larger or smaller than this amount, according as the changes in condition from now to harvest are better or worse than average changes from April 1 to harvest.

"In a general way the wheat crop suffered more than the average in the Atlantic coast states, as a result of a cold dry windy March, without adequate snow covering; in the central states east of the Mississippi river the crop declined slightly through the winter but not more than usual; reports of prevalence of Hessian fly are made from many places in this section which gives some apprehension.

"Great improvement in the condition was made in the western part of the grain belt, namely in Nebraska, Kansas and Oklahoma, which caused a general average condition on April 1, slightly higher than on December 1, although the average of the last ten years on April 1 was 2.7 points lower than on December 1. In the Pacific northwest large yields are anticipated."

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RULES FIXED FOR SALE OF INDIAN LANDS

MEASURE NOW IN EFFECT IN STATE—NO COURT HAS POWER TO ENFORCE RULES IN CONFLICT THEREWITH.

Oklahoma City, April 7.—The law passed by the last legislature providing exclusive procedure for sale of the interests of full-blood Indian heirs in inherited lands carried the emergency clause and is now in effect. This law seems to take the place of most of the laws on this subject. It is the result of a number of compromises following the introduction of house bill No. 565 by representative Hunter of Hugo.

This bill was amended at one stage of its journey through the senate by the insertion of a provision advocated by Miss Kate Bernard, which specifically carried into the act the rules of procedure for probate matters as laid down last summer by the Supreme Court. It will be noted that this provision is not in the bill, but there is a specification that "no court shall have the power to promulgate or enforce any rules in conflict with this act."

Text of the Law.

The full text of the law, which is of paramount importance in the Indian Territory section of the state, is as follows:

"Section 1. Jurisdiction is hereby conferred upon the county courts of this state to approve the deeds of adult full-blood Indians conveying their inherited lands, as now provided by the laws of the United States.

"Section 2. All petitions for the approval of deeds to lands inherited by full-blood Indian heirs shall be verified by one or more grantors, and shall contain the following information: The names of all grantors and grantees; the description of the land to be conveyed; the character and extent of the interests to be conveyed; the roll number and quantum of blood of the grantor and decedent; the permanent residence of the decedent at the time of death; the relationship of each grantor and decedent and the names and relationship to the decedent of each heir who is not a grantor.

"Sec. 3. The county court shall establish a date upon which all petitions for the approval of deeds to lands inherited by full-blood Indians shall be heard, which date shall be at least twice per month. At a hearing the court shall take the testimony of disinterested parties to establish the value of the lands to be conveyed, and may in its discretion call in any United States probate attorney as counsel for grantor. The attendance of the grantor or any other person to testify in such matters may be required in like manner as if his testimony were to be heard in a civil action. The court may decline to approve any deed when in his judgment the price is not commensurate with his fair judgment and the grantor is not an heir of deceased. Provided, the county court may authorize the sale and conveyance of any such land for cash or one-fourth cash and the balance in yearly payments of one-fourth each, with interests on such deferred payments at the rate of not less than 6 per cent per annum; provided, further, that in all sales upon deferred payments, such payments shall be secured by first mortgage upon the lands conveyed.

"Sec. 4. No deed which was executed within thirty days from the date of the death of the decedent shall be approved by any county court, and it shall be unlawful for any person to record or cause to be recorded any deed, lease, mortgage or other encumbrance which has been secured within thirty days subsequent to the death of the allottee, and any person violating the provisions of this section shall upon conviction, be punished by a fine of not less than \$500 nor more than \$1,000, and may in the discretion of the court, be imprisoned in the county jail for a period of not more than ninety days.

"Sec. 5. The provisions of this act shall constitute the exclusive law governing the procedure relative to the conveyance of inherited lands by adult full-blood Indian heirs. All provisions of law heretofore enacted in conflict herewith, are hereby repealed and set aside, and no court shall have the power to promulgate or enforce any rules in conflict with this act.

"Sec. 6. For the preservation of the public peace, health and safety, an emergency is hereby declared to exist by reason whereof it is necessary that this act take effect and be in force from and after its passage and approval."

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As always, special attention has been given to the important matter of circulation figures. Supplementary to the general catalogue are 222 classified lists, including dailies, magazines, women's, mail order, agricultural, religious, and the various trade and class publications, each class listed under a separate head.

This useful feature of the book is kept fully abreast of the times, as indicated by some of its lists: Aeronautics, moving pictures, Esperanto, woman suffrage and anti-suffrage. An especially valuable feature is the vast amount of up-to-date gazetteer information, showing the latest population figures, and the transportation, banking and other facilities of every town, to the number of nearly twelve thousand, in which a newspaper is published, together with the leading industries, productions and other noteworthy features of the place and its vicinity. This descriptive matter is supplemented by a specially prepared map of each state, showing practically every newspaper town. Convenience and conciseness have been studied throughout, and the book places at the disposal of publishers, of advertisers, of business men, of students, librarians, etc., a vast amount of fresh information not to be procured elsewhere.

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